9/2 Bd Workshop Cal-AM Deadline: 8/26/09 by 12 noon

To Whom it May Concern:

Once again the Carmel Area is being threatened with additional water restrictions. It is understood the reasoning about the pumping of Carmel River Water threatening the fish population. For years now alternative water resources have been required. Studies have been made, millions of dollars spent on talk and studies. Let's get started on the alternatives that have been presented!! Our citizens have conserved water. In fact, we have one of the best results in water conservation by our citizens in the state. I question how many of the small fish ever get into the ocean. The flocks of birds at the mouth of the river make sure of that. This should not be the determining factor when making decisions regarding the water supply. The fish are not an endangered species. This is an area of environmentally concerned citizens. When the threat of drastic water rationing interferes with the building of a low income housing facility by The Carmel Foundation, the need of deserving seniors must take precedence over fish in the river. This water was allocated for the project. It MUST be honored.

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